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## **Application Number** 08/772,259 REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date December 23, 1996 FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Kayoko MASAKI et al. Group Art Unit 2872 AMOUNT ENCLOSED 1050.00 **Examiner Name** Thong Q. Nguyen FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 09/30/07) Highest Number CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining Number **AMENDED** After Amendment Previously Paid For Extra Rate Calculations **TOTAL CLAIMS** X \$ 50.00 =4 22 = 0 0.00 INDEPENDENT 0 X \$ 210.00 =0.00 3 = 1 CLAIMS Since an Official Action set an original due date of February 6, 2008, petition is hereby made for an 1050.00 extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$460)); (3 months (\$1,050)); (4 months (\$1,640)); (5 months (\$2,230): If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$510.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) Total of above Calculations = 1050.00 Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 1050.00 (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3". METHOD OF PAYMENT $\boxtimes$ Check enclosed as payment. Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below. $\Box$ No payment is enclosed. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit $\boxtimes$ any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to: 19-3935 Deposit Account No. **Deposit Account Name** STAAS & HALSEY LLP The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under $\boxtimes$ 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application. SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP Boughner Stephen T/ 45,317 Typed Name Reg. No. Date May 6, 2008 Signature ©2007 Staas & Halsey LLP

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Kayoko MASAKI et al.

Serial No. 08/772,259

Group Art Unit: 2872

Confirmation No. 5740

Filed: December 23, 1996

Examiner: Thong Q. Nguyen

For: SURFACE LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE OF SIDE LIGHT TYPE

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed November 6, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on February 6, 2008. A petition for a three month extension of time is concurrently filed herewith, thereby extending the response due date to May 6, 2008.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.